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Title: FOAMED IGNITER FOR USE IN
AUTOMOTIVE AIRBAG INFLATORS

Customer No.: 45483

ELECTION/RESTRICTION RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This application has been reconsidered carefully in light of the Office
Action dated as mailed on 25 April 2006. A careful reconsideration of the application
by the Examiner in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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